

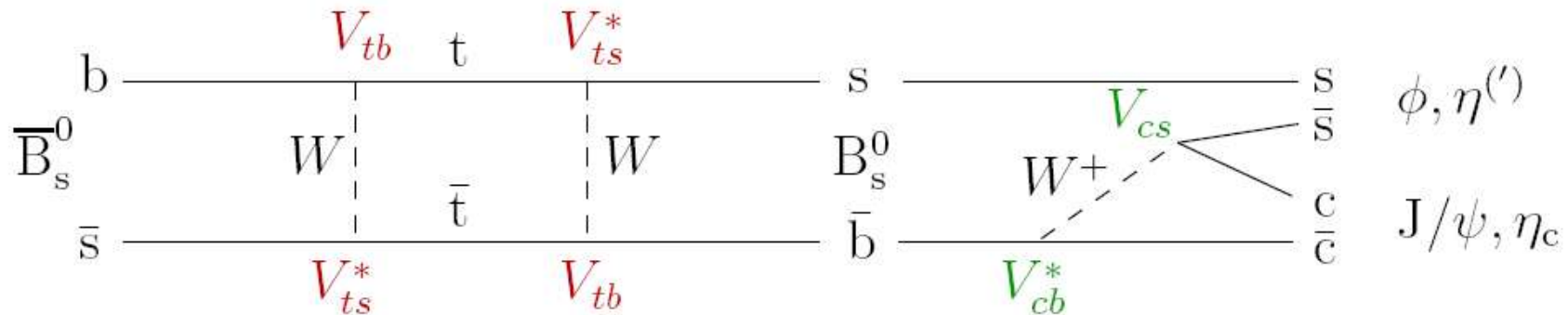
Reconstruction of  $B_s^0 \rightarrow J/\Psi \eta'$  at LHCb experiment  
and sensitivity to  $\phi_s$  and  $\Delta\Gamma_s/\Gamma_s$

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Outline

- Mixing-induced CP violation
- Physics motivations
- $\bar{b} \rightarrow \bar{c} c \bar{s}$  transitions
- Off-line selection of  $B_s^0 \rightarrow J/\Psi \eta'$  ; selection cuts
- Annual yield and background levels.
- Sensitivities studies
- Conclusions

- $B_s^0 - \bar{B}_s^0$  system will serve to test CP violation in standard model (SM) .
- $B_s^0, \bar{B}_s^0$  flavors can either oscillate into each other or decay to final state.
- **Mixing-Induced CP violation** results from phase mismatch between weak mixing phase  $\phi_s$  and decay phase  $\phi_D$  .



- In  $\bar{b} \rightarrow \bar{c} c \bar{s}$  quark level transitions we have direct access to mixing phase  $\phi_s$  via mixing-induced CP asymmetry.

$$\mathcal{A}_{\text{CP}}^{\text{th}}(t) = \frac{-\eta_f \sin(\phi_s) \sin(\Delta M_s t)}{\cosh\left(\frac{\Delta\Gamma_s t}{2}\right) - \eta_f \cos(\phi_s) \sinh\left(\frac{\Delta\Gamma_s t}{2}\right)}$$

- Mass and decay width differences between “heavy” & “light” mass eigenstates:

$$\Delta M_q \equiv M_H - M_L \quad \Delta \Gamma_q \equiv \Gamma_H - \Gamma_L \quad \text{where } q \in [s, d]$$

$$|B_{L/H}\rangle = p|B_s^0\rangle \pm q|\bar{B}_s^0\rangle \quad \Gamma_q = \frac{(\Gamma_H + \Gamma_L)}{2} \quad (\text{average})$$

- $B_d^0 - \bar{B}_d^0$  (Well measured)

- $\Delta M_d \sim 0.5 \text{ps}^{-1}$

- $\Delta \Gamma_d / \Gamma_d \sim 0$

- $\phi_d \equiv 2 \arg[V_{td}^* V_{tb}] \approx 2\beta = O(0.8 \text{rad})$

- $B_s^0 - \bar{B}_s^0$  (Terra incognita)

- $\Delta M_s \sim 20 \text{ps}^{-1}$  ~ 40 times faster than  $B_d$

- $\Delta \Gamma_s / \Gamma_s \sim 10\%$  Sizeable

- $\phi_s \equiv 2 \arg[V_{ts}^* V_{tb}] \approx 2\beta_s = O(-0.04 \text{ rad})$

- **Physics Motivations:** Measure mixing parameters  $\phi_s$  and  $\Delta \Gamma_s / \Gamma_s$

- $B_s^0$  decays into CP self-conjugate final states caused by  $\bar{b} \rightarrow \bar{c} c \bar{s}$  quark level transitions.

$$B_s^0 \rightarrow J/\Psi \phi$$

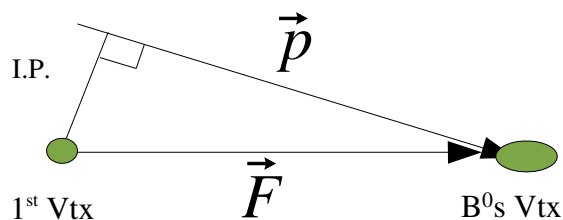
- Admixture of CP eigenstates (+1,-1,+1)
- Need angular analysis to disentangle them
- High no. of selected events
- Low B/S ratio

$$B_s^0 \rightarrow \eta_c \phi, \quad B_s^0 \rightarrow J/\Psi \eta^{(\prime)}$$

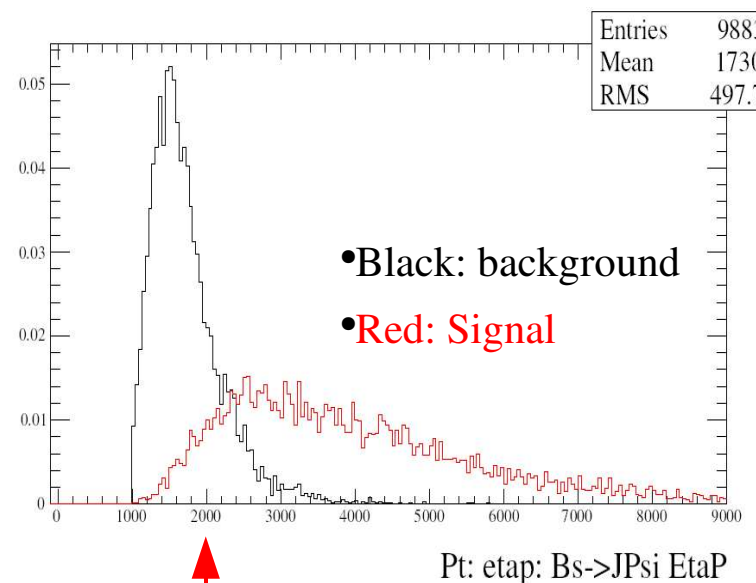
- pure CP-even eigenstates (+1)
- No angular analysis
- Low no. of selected events
- Worse B/S ratio

- Channels with photons & high multiplicity get worse resolutions

- Off-line selection studied with full MC simulated data, both for signal and background.  
[p-p collisions, decays, LHCb detector, response, trigger systems etc. are fully simulated]
- To select  $B_s^0 \rightarrow J/\Psi (\mu^+ \mu^-) \eta' (\pi^+ \pi^- \eta (\gamma \gamma))$  a set of topological and kinematical cuts are defined to remove bad combinations.
- E, P thresholds are applied to end-products,  $\sim 3\sigma$  in mass resolutions, max. IP and min. Flight distance cuts for  $B^0$ s candidates w.r.t production vertex.

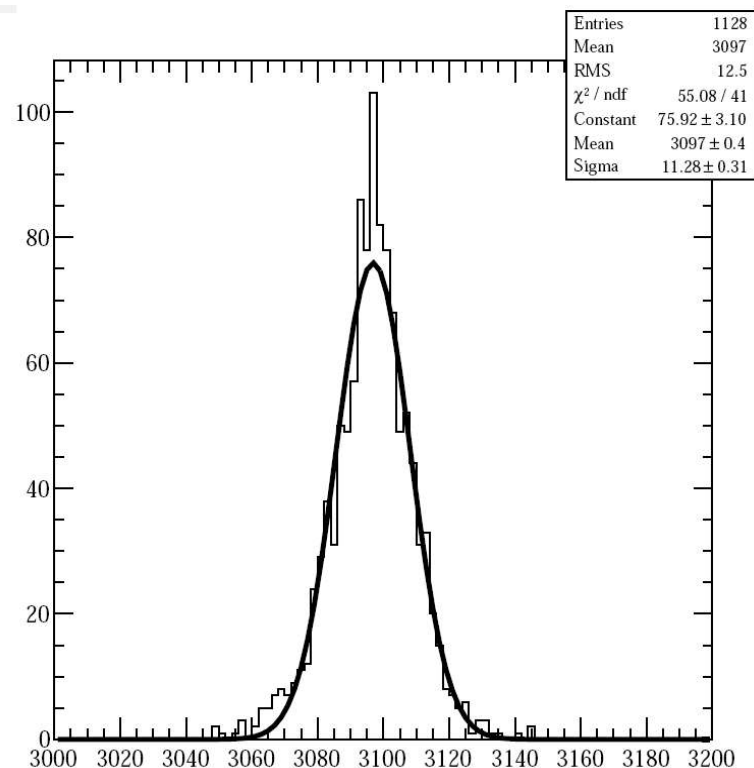


where  $\mathbf{F}$ , is flight vector and  $\mathbf{P}$ ,  $B^0$ s candidate momentum vector

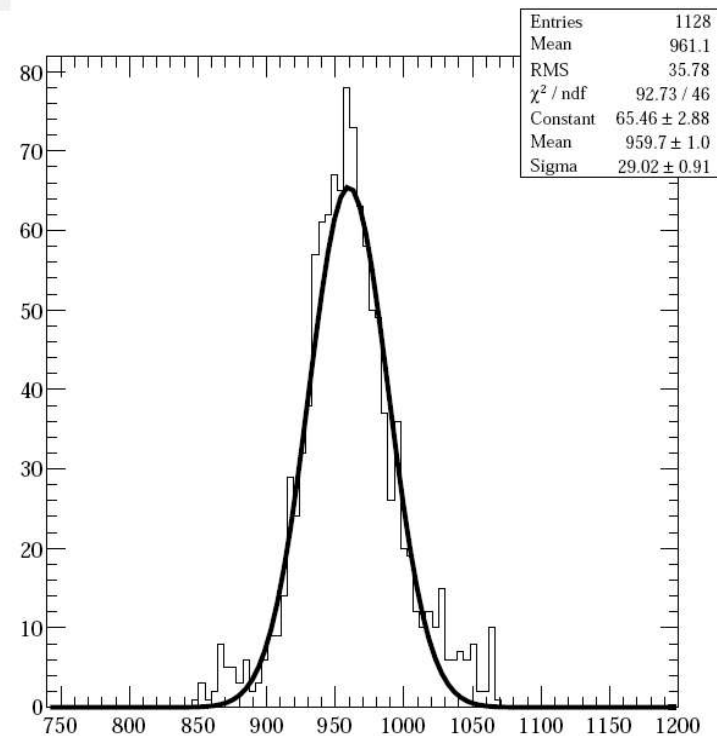


Example of cut: Pt of  $\eta'$  candidates

- These cuts are optimize in order to reduce any possible sources of background events.



**Mean( $J/\Psi$ )  $\sim 3097 \text{ MeV}/c^2$   
 $\sigma \sim 11 \text{ MeV}/c^2$ .**



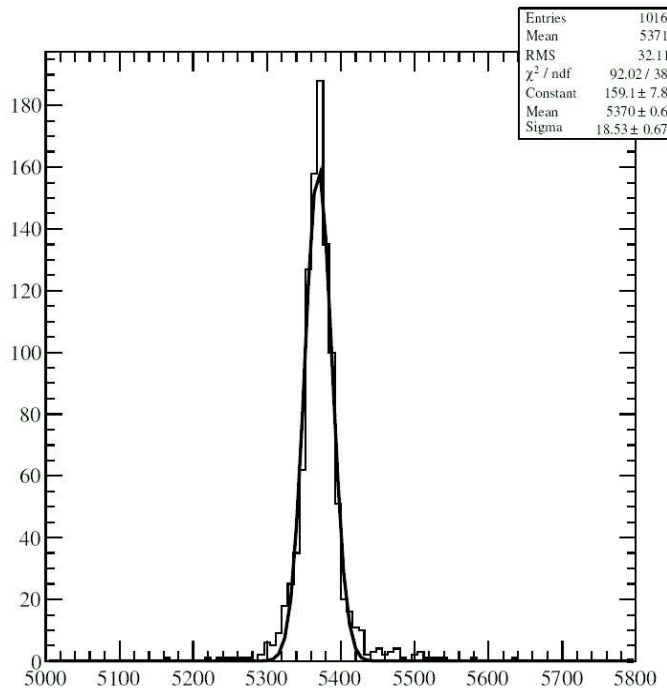
**Mean( $\eta'$ )  $\sim 960 \text{ MeV}/c^2$   
 $\sigma \sim 29 \text{ MeV}/c^2$ .**

- After selection, we see that our eta' distribution is wide due to poor resolutions of photons

- After selection of  $B_s^0$  candidates apply Kalman fit to refine selection and improve mass resolutions:

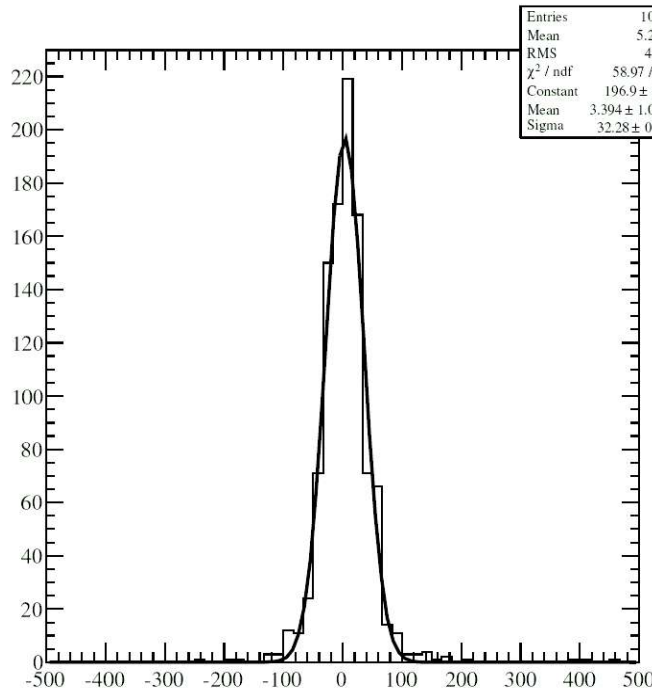
**Kalman Fit:** Refines the fit by using a recursive method which properly take into account the errors of the 4 vectors for the photons.

- **Lifetime** and its error estimated by LS fit to the observables.



Mean ~ 5370 MeV/c<sup>2</sup>.  $\sigma$  ~ 19 MeV/c<sup>2</sup>.

**Kalman Fit**



**Lifetime Resolution( $B_s$ ):**

(32.3 ± 0.9) fs [ **Kalman Fit** ]

$$c \cdot \tau = m_{B_s^0} \frac{\vec{p}_{B_s^0} \cdot \vec{L}}{|\vec{p}_{B_s^0}|^2}$$

Where  $\vec{L} = \vec{x}_s - \vec{x}_p$   
 $B_s^0$  meson flight distance  
w.r.t. primary vertex

## Flavor tagging:

- When a signal B is reconstructed we need to know its initial flavor. [See Jeremie Borel's talk]

Procedure not always gives answer: tagging efficiency  $\epsilon_{\text{tag}}$

Tag given could be incorrect:  $\omega$ . Wrong tag fraction.

## Triggers:

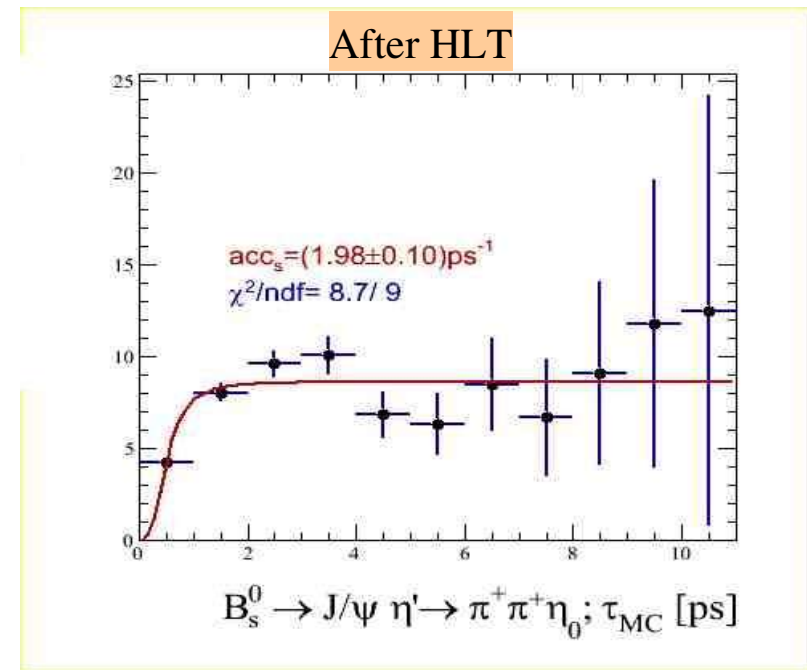
- Three levels of triggers to leave only events of interest; **Level 0,1, HLT** [See Jeremie Borel's talk]

## Acceptance function:

Bias on the proper time distribution due to selection cuts.

$$\epsilon_{\tau} = acc_a \cdot \frac{acc_s \cdot t_{MC}^3}{1 + acc_s \cdot t_{MC}^3}$$

Where  $acc_s$  is the slope at low proper time



**Event yield:** • Number of  $B_s^0 \rightarrow J/\Psi \eta'$  events for physics studies per year ( $2\text{fb}^{-1}$ ):

$$\text{Yield} = N_{B0s} * \text{B.R.}_{\text{vis}} * \epsilon_{\text{tot}}$$

- $B.R.(B_s^0 \rightarrow J/\psi \eta')$  branching ratio estimated by U-spin symmetry w.r.t  $B.R.(B_d^0 \rightarrow J/\psi K^0)$
- $|\eta' \rangle = |\eta_8 \rangle \sin \theta_p + |\eta_1 \rangle \cos \theta_p$

Pseudoscalar mixing angle  $\theta_p$  estimated to be  $[-20^\circ, -10^\circ]$  (*Mixing Angle:  $\theta_p = -15^\circ$* )

- Main source of background to compute B/S is  $b\bar{b}$ -inclusive.

Parameters	$J/\psi \eta(\gamma\gamma)$	$J/\psi \eta(3\pi)$	$\eta_c \phi$	$J/\psi \eta'(\eta\pi\pi)$	$J/\psi \phi$
Untagged yield[k events]	8.9	3.1	3	2.15	125
B/S	2.00	3.00	0.70	1.98	0.80
acc_slope	1.9	1.5	1.3	2	2.9
$\sigma(Bs)[\text{MeV}/c^2]$	34	20	12	19	14
$\omega$ / $\epsilon$ tag	35/63	30/62	31/66	31/64	33/65

- The “golden channel” for the studies of  $\phi_s$  mixing phase is:  $B_s^o \rightarrow J/\Psi \phi$

Has very good mass and proper-time resolutions, high number of events selected and background levels very low.

BUT, it requires angular analysis to disentangle the odd and even contributions.

- Can the pure CP eigenstates channels help in the determination of  $\phi_s$  mixing phase?
- Using decays like  $B_s^o \rightarrow \eta_c \phi$ ,  $B_s^o \rightarrow J/\Psi \eta^{(\prime)}$  we hope to (significantly) improve  $\phi_s$  sensitivity of the LHCb experiment.

- Number of events that we can generate in a full Monte Carlo simulation quite low, due to CPU and Storage limitations. Sensitivities Assessed by means of (Fast) **Toy MC simulations**.

✓ Input parameters obtained from full MC:

( $\text{acc}_s=2.0 \text{ ps}^{-1}$  // B/S= 2 // Signal Yield = 2000.0 //  $\omega=31\%$  //  $\epsilon_{\text{tag}}=63\%$ )

✓ Nominal parameters for physics. ( $\tau=1.472\text{ps}^{-1}$ ,  $\phi_s=-0.04 \text{ rad}$ ,  $\Delta M_s=20\text{ps}^{-1}$ ,  $\Delta \Gamma_s/\Gamma_s=10\%$ )

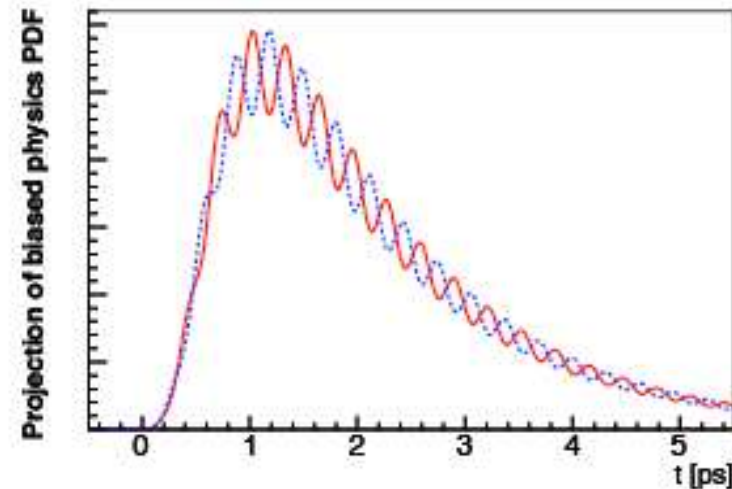
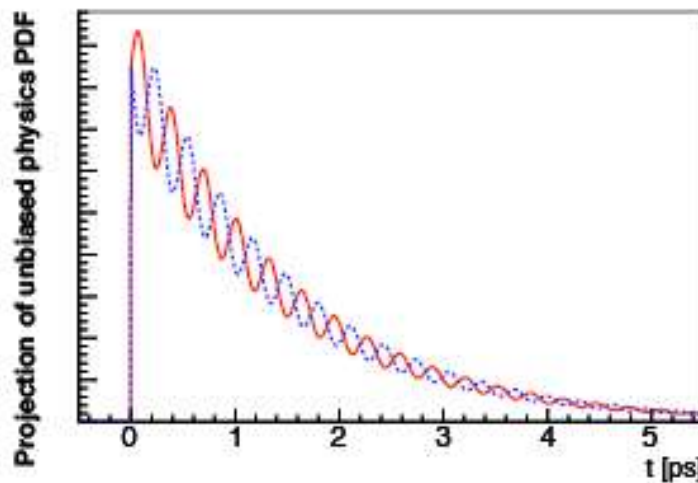
- Transition rates of initially pure  $B_s^0$  and  $\bar{B}_s^0$  states.

$$R(B_s^0(t) \rightarrow f) = |A_f(0)|^2 \times e^{-\Gamma_s t} \times \left[ \cosh\left(\frac{\Delta\Gamma_s t}{2}\right) - \eta_f \cos(\phi_s) \sinh\left(\frac{\Delta\Gamma_s t}{2}\right) + qD \eta_f \sin(\phi_s) \sin(\Delta M_s t) \right]$$

- Tagging categories:  $q=+1$  for  $R(B_s^0 \rightarrow f)$ ,  $q=-1$  for  $R(\bar{B}_s^0 \rightarrow f)$ ,  $q=0$  for untagged
- $D = (1-2\omega)$  Tagging Dilution factor.

Blue:  $B_s^0$

Red:  $\bar{B}_s^0$



*Transition decay rates (including  $\omega$ ) With acceptance and resolution*

- Case:
- $\Delta M_s = 20 \text{ ps}^{-1}$  //  $\Delta\Gamma_s/\Gamma_s = 10\%$  //  $\phi_s = -0.4 \text{ rad}$  (10 x SM) //  $\omega = 30\%$  //  $\text{acc}_s = 1.3 \text{ ps}^{-1}$  //  $\sigma_t = 40 \text{ fs}$

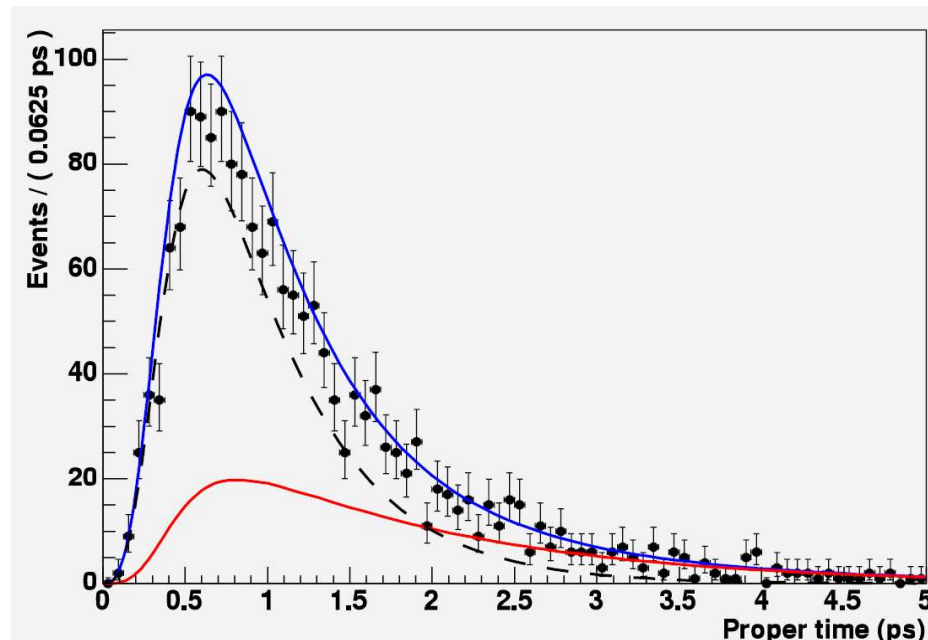
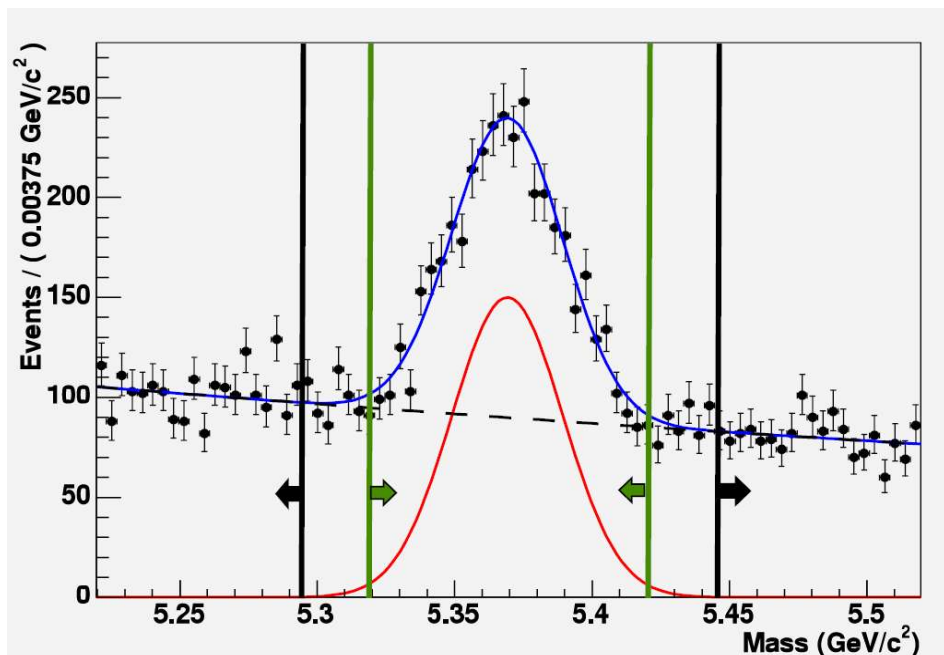
- Generate and fit ~ 250 toy experiments each of them corresponding to 1 year of data taking at  $2\text{fb}^{-1}$
- Unbinned (extended) likelihood fit to :

$$\mathcal{L} = \prod_i \left[ f_i^{\text{sig}} \mathcal{L}_i^{\text{sig}} + (1 - f_i^{\text{sig}}) \mathcal{L}_i^{\text{bkg}} \right]$$

$i$  event and  $f_i^{\text{sig}}$  probability for each event based on of rec. mass  
 $\mathcal{L}_{\text{sig}}$  includes decay rates, acceptance, and wrong tag fraction.

- ✓ Mass distributions fitted to determine signal and background probabilities that are then fixed.
- ✓ Background parameters are determined from mass sidebands; acceptance function fitted and then parameters from fit fixed.
- ✓ From the signal window, physics parameters ( $\Delta\Gamma_s/\Gamma_s$ ,  $\phi_s$ ,  $\tau_{B0s}$ ) are extracted from the fit.

- PDF for the mass distribution sum of two extended likelihoods, **Gaussian** for signal, **Exponential** for background with **Poisson** to ensure correct proportion of signal & background in the signal region.



**Red:** signal // **Dashed black:**background // **Blue:** total

**Green:** signal region // **Black:** sidebands

**Red:** signal // **Dashed black:**background

// **Blue:** total

- Sensitivities estimated from the average of statistical uncertainties from fit results.
- Input parameters taken from Full MC simulation for each channel.
- Nominal Physics parameters as inputs values:

$\phi_s$ [rad]	$\Delta M_s$ [ps <sup>-1</sup> ]	$\Delta \Gamma_s / \Gamma_s$	$\tau_{B0s}$ [ps]
-0.04	20.0	0.1	1.472

- Fit results: Sensitivities

Sensitivity	J/ $\psi\eta(\gamma\gamma)$	J/ $\psi\eta(3\pi)$	$\eta_c\phi$	J/ $\psi\eta'(\eta\pi\pi)$	J/ $\psi\phi$
$\sigma(\phi_s)$ [rad]	0.112	0.148	0.106	0.200	0.031
$\sigma(\Delta \Gamma_s / \Gamma_s)$	0.0122	0.0084	0.0084	0.0279	0.0113

- Expected sensitivities for  $2\text{fb}^{-1}$  for each channel:

combined value:  $\sigma = \sqrt{\left(\frac{1}{\sum (1/\sigma_i^2)}\right)}$

Channel	$\sigma(\phi_s)$ [rad]	Contribution( $\sigma/\sigma_i$ )[%]
$J/\psi\eta(\gamma\gamma)$	0.112	6.3
$J/\psi\eta(3\pi)$	0.148	3.6
$\eta_c\phi$	0.106	7.0
$J/\psi\eta'(\eta\pi\pi)$	0.200	1.8
Combined four pure CP eigenstates channels	0.068	18.4
$J/\psi\phi$	0.031	81.6
Combined all five CP eigenstates channels	0.028	100.0

- Able to reconstruct  $B_s^0 \rightarrow J/\Psi \eta'$ ; promising results, can be improved if photon reconstruction is better and proper time fitting strategies are revised.
- Contributions from pure CP eigenstates to sensitivity to  $\phi_s$ :  $\sim 19\%$   
(Maybe other channels can help too)
- **After five years** ( $10 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ ) we reach  $\sigma(\phi_s) \sim 0.013 \text{ rad}$  which is  $\sim 3\sigma$  of the SM value ( $-0.04 \text{ rad}$ )
- If  $\phi_s$  large compared to SM expectation  $\Rightarrow$  NEW PHYSICS

Back-up slides

$$B_s^0 \rightarrow J/\Psi (\mu^+ \mu^-) \eta' (\pi^+ \pi^- \eta (\gamma \gamma))$$

## Branching Ratio:

- $B.R. (B_s^0 \rightarrow J/\psi \eta')$  branching ratio still an **open issue**.

- $\eta'$  defined as:  $|\eta'\rangle = |\eta_8\rangle \sin \theta_p + |\eta_1\rangle \cos \theta_p$  (Physics Letters B, 2004)

- Where  $\eta_1$  &  $\eta_2$  defined as:

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \eta_1 | &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \langle u\bar{u} + d\bar{d} + s\bar{s} | \\ \langle \eta_8 | &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} \langle u\bar{u} + d\bar{d} - 2s\bar{s} | \end{aligned}$$

- The value of pseudo-scalar mixing angle  $\theta_p$  still controversial. Estimated to belong  $[-10^\circ, -20^\circ]$ .
- B.R. estimated as:

$$B.R. (B_s^0 \rightarrow J/\psi \eta') = \left( \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}} \cos(\theta_p) - \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \sin(\theta_p) \right)^2 \langle J/\psi s\bar{s} | H_{eff} | B_s^0 \rangle = B.R. (B_d^0 \rightarrow J/\psi K_s)$$

$$(Mixing Angle: \theta_p = -10^\circ)$$

$$(Mixing Angle: \theta_p = -20^\circ)$$

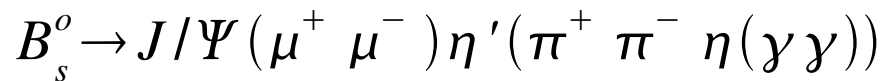
$$B.R. (B_s^0 \rightarrow J/\psi \eta') = (4.29 \pm 0.25) * 10^{-4}$$

$$B.R. (B_s^0 \rightarrow J/\psi \eta') = (5.74 \pm 0.34) * 10^{-4}$$

$$B.R._{visible} (B_s^0 \rightarrow J/\psi \eta') = (5.1 \pm 0.4) * 10^{-6}$$

$$B.R._{visible} (B_s^0 \rightarrow J/\psi \eta') = (6.8 \pm 0.5) * 10^{-6}$$





## Efficiencies :

$$\epsilon_{rec} = (70.0 \pm 0.4) * 10^{-2}$$

$$\epsilon_{sel} = (6.3 \pm 0.2) * 10^{-2}$$

$$\epsilon_{det} = \epsilon_{sig}^\theta * \left( \frac{N_{sel}}{N_{gen}} \right) * (\epsilon_{rec})^{-1} * (\epsilon_{sel})^{-1} = (5.15 \pm 0.04) * 10^{-2}$$

$$\epsilon_{sig}^\theta = (34.71 \pm 0.03) * 10^{-2} \text{ (Bmesons)}$$

$$\epsilon_{LOL1HLT} = (89.2 \pm 0.9) * 10^{-2}$$

$$\epsilon_{tag}$$

- Reconstruction Efficiency.

- Offline selection efficiency on rec'ted events

- Detection efficiency.

- Acceptance of the 400 mrad generator-level Cut.

- Combined L0&L1&HLT triggers eff. on offline select. events

- Tagging efficiency.

$$\epsilon_{total} = \epsilon_{det} * \epsilon_{rec} * \epsilon_{sel} * \epsilon_{LOL1HLT} * \epsilon_{tag}$$

$$\epsilon_{total} = (0.198 \pm 0.006) * 10^{-2} \text{ (before tagging)}$$

	Before Trigger	After L0	After L0&L1	After HLT
$\epsilon_{tag} [\%]$	62.88 +/- 1.35	63.23 +/- 1.37	63.90 +/- 1.45	63.81 +/- 1.52
$\omega [\%]$	31.50 +/- 1.68	31.44 +/- 1.70	31.53 +/- 1.80	30.72 +/- 1.8
$\epsilon_{eff} [\%]$	8.61 +/- 2.02	8.71 +/- 2.0	8.72 +/- 2.20	9.49 +/- 2.37

$$\epsilon_{eff} = \epsilon_{tag} (1 - 2\omega^2)$$

